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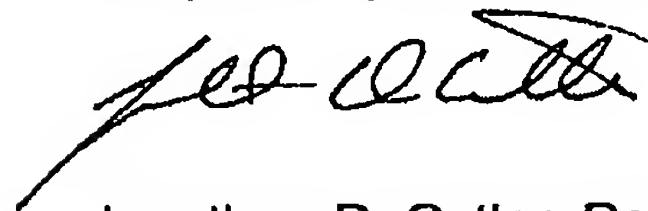
Claims 1, 5-9, 23-26, 31, and 33-36 are pending in the present application. By this amendment claim 33 has been amended and claim 32 has been cancelled.

Claim 32 was objected to but was indicated to be allowable if re-written in independent form. Claim 31 has been amended to incorporate all of the limitations of claim 32. This has the effect of having re-written claim 32 in independent form. Claim 31 should now be allowable, as well as claims 33-36 which depend therefrom. Claims 1, 5-9, and 23-26 have been allowed.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that all of the pending claims are allowable and that the entire application is in condition for allowance.

Should the examiner believe that anything further is desirable the examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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